



Water Column Evaluation for Open Water Placement of Dredged Material from Bay Ridge and Red Hook Channels and Perth Amboy Anchorage

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Response Summary:

Performed STFATE model runs of open water disposal of dredged material from Bay Ridge and Red Hook Channels and Perth Amboy Anchorage at the HARS. Analyzed the standard elutriate test results for the contaminant of concern. Analyzed the water column toxicity results to determine the dilution required for the limiting permissible concentration. Summarized the disposal boundary offset values as a function of barge size in a technical memo documenting the results of the review and modeling.

Period of Performance:

Start date: 22 July 2019 Completion Date: 5 August 2019

Benefits of the Response to the USACE Dredging/Navigation Program:

The modeling and analysis provided the technical documentation to demonstrate water column compliance with MPRSA 103 requirements.

Deliverable:

The technical response to the New York District provided STFATE model input and output files, spreadsheet for calculating materials volumetric fractions and a table of required placement offsets from the disposal site boundaries.



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